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Application No. 09/577,476	Filing Date May 24, 2000	Examiner A. Boswell	Art Unit 3729		
Applicant(s): Raymond V. Damadian					
Invention: NEEDLE SHIM BAR					
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Sir:  
In response to the Official Action mailed March 6, 2002, applicant submits the following amendments and remarks.

IN THE SPECIFICATION

Please replace the appropriate paragraphs with the following clean versions of such paragraphs in which the information in parenthesis preceding each paragraph denotes the location of the paragraph:

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